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Attorney Docket Number 10001-30495

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Application Number 09 / 927,826

Filing Date August 10, 2001

Group Art Unit 2171

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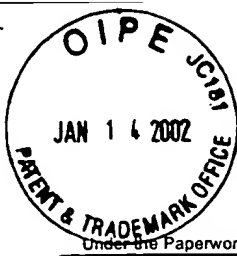
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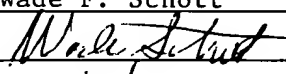
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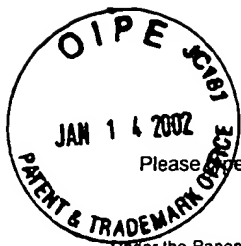
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